

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Attorney Docket No.: A1258-US-NP
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| Art Unit: 1752 | Title: POLYMER PROCESSES | |

To the Commissioner for Patents:

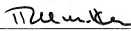
Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

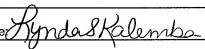
| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
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| | Claims remaining after amendment | | Highest Number Previously Paid For | No. of Extra Claims Present | Rate | Additional Rate |
| Total Claims | 26 | Minus | 32 | 0 | X 50 | \$0.00 |
| Indep. Claims | 2 | Minus | 3 | 0 | X 200 | \$0.00 |
| TOTAL | | | | | = | \$0.00 |

- ☒ No additional fee(s) is/are believed due. However, if this is not the case, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any and all fees to Deposit Account No. 24-0037.
- ☐ Payment for the filing of this Amendment in the amount of \$_____ is authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 24-0037.
- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and request(s) a **-month extension of time** to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Payment for the filing of the above-requested extension of time fee is authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 24-0037.

Respectfully submitted,
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Date: December 7, 2006


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